

BALLOTPEDIA SCOUTING REPORT

WHAT YOU'LL FIND ON BALLOTPEDIA



ELECTION DATES

Primary—June 28, 2022

General—November 8, 2022

US SENATE

OPEN SEATS- 1



US HOUSE

OPEN SEATS-17



*Current Partisan
Breakdowns

STATE SENATE

OPEN SEATS-59



STATE HOUSE

OPEN SEATS-118



STATE SUPREME COURT

OPEN SEATS-4

STATE IAC

OPEN SEATS- 15

MORE NOTABLE ELECTIONS

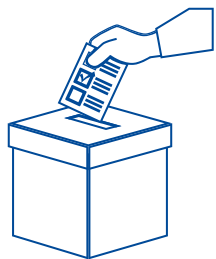
Governor • Lt. Governor • Attorney General • Secretary of State

Filing Deadline



- Major party candidate deadline
 - March 14, 2022
- Judges seeking retention (general)
 - May 8, 2022
- Declaration of intent to run as an independent candidate (general)
 - July 11, 2022
- [Candidates can file here](#)

General Election Rules



Uncontested Elections

- Uncontested elections are not canceled

Write In

- Write-in candidates must file

Replacement Candidates

- Replacement candidates allowed
 - Deadline is July 25, 2022

Winning

- Plurality required
- No primary runoffs

Primary Election Rules



Uncontested Elections

- Uncontested primaries are not cancelled

Official Political Parties

- Recognized parties
 - Democratic and Republican

Write In

- Write-in candidates must file
- Advance from the primary if:
 - Number of votes equals or exceeds the minimum number of signatures needed to be placed on the ballot.

Winning

- Plurality required
- No outright win
- No primary runoffs

Local Rules



- The Illinois Board of Elections publishes a list of officeholders up for retention election, but does not distinguish between the at-large and the subcircuit seats. When collecting the list of judges seeking re-election to the Cook County Circuit Court, writers will need to use the official judges list [linked here](#) to add the correct office to the races table. For example, At-large judges will get office ID 4 (Cook County Circuit Court) and Judicial Subcircuit No. 1 judges will get office ID 6904 (Cook County Circuit Court 1st Subcircuit).

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